May 20, 2008

Mr. Gerardo C. Rios Chief of Permit Operation U. S. EPA, Region IX, AIR 3 75 Hawthorne Street San Francisco, CA 94105-3901

Dear Mr. Rios:

Carlton Forge Works (ID 22911) has proposed to revise their Title V Permit by the addition of four forging furnaces. Carlton Forge Works forges billet from exotic metals (SIC 3462) and is located at 7743 E. Adams Street, Paramount, CA 90723. This proposed permit revision is considered a "de minimus significant" permit revision to their Title V permit. Attached for your review are the evaluation and permit for the proposed permit revision. With your receipt of the proposed Title V permit revision today, we will note that the EPA 45-day review period will begin on May 20, 2008.

If you have any questions or need additional information regarding the proposed permit revision, please contact Ms. Monica Fernandez-Neild at (909) 396-2202.

Sincerely.

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